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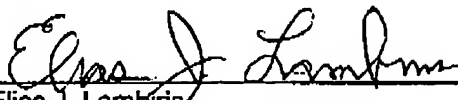P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence comprising:

1. Amendment Fee Transmittal
2. Preliminary Amendment

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Respectfully submitted,

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment for the above-identified application.

Applicants submit that no fees are required. If any fees are required, please charge the fees to Novozymes North America, Inc., Deposit Account No. 50-1701.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Before examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows: